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Fifty-eighth Day

The House of Representatives meets at the State House in Providence, Tuesday, June 12, 2007 and is called to order at 4:15 o'clock P.M., by the Honorable William J. Murphy, Speaker.

The roll is called and a quorum is declared present with 71 members present and 4 members absent as follows:

PRESENT - 71: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Scott, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Smith, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Watson, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

ABSENT - 4: Representatives Baldelli-Hunt, Dennigan, Diaz, Naughton.

INVOCATION

The Honorable Speaker presents Representative Williamson who delivers the Invocation and leads the membership in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

(For Invocation, see Appendix, this Journal.)

APPROVAL OF RECORD

By unanimous consent, the House Journal of Thursday, June 7, 2007 is approved as printed.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Representative Eileen Naughton will be unable to attend session Tuesday, June 12, 2007.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

COMMITTEE ON CORPORATIONS

Representative Kennedy, for the Committee on Corporations, reports back the following measures, with recommendation of passage:

House Bill No. 5105

BY Ucci, Kennedy, Fellela, Mattiello, Giannini

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW -- GENERAL

REGULATORY PROVISIONS -- UNFAIR SALES PRACTICES (prohibit any person, firm or corporation from charging a surcharge of any kind relating to gift certificates and or gift cards) {LC442/1}

06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

House Bill No. 6204 SUB A

BY Carter

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - HEAVY DUTY DIESEL VEHICLE EMISSION INSPECTIONS (allow police officers designated by the state police to perform roadside emission inspections) {LC2730/1/A} 06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 236 SUB B

BY Doyle, McBurney, Tassoni

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - WARRANTIES (expand the application of the lemon law warranty lease to include fire department motorized apparatus) {LC1291/1/B}

06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 906 SUB A

BY Algiere

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - HEAVY DUTY DIESEL VEHICLE EMISSION INSPECTIONS (allow police officers designated by the state police to perform roadside emission inspections) {LC2731/1/A} 06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 1040

BY Fogarty P, Levesque C, Tassoni, Connors, Gallo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO THE GLENDALE ASSOCIATION, INC. (repeal the existing charter of the Glendale Association, Inc. and establish a new charter for the Glendale Water Association, Inc.) {LC3136/1}

06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 1057

BY Cote

ENTITLED, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF KATHMANDU, LTD. {LC3192/1}

06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 919

BY Jabour, Ciccone, Perry, Pichardo, Ruggerio

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- NOTICE AND HEARING ON LICENSES (would eliminate the requirement that an advertisement or notice be given when an applicant or license holder applies for a temporary seasonal expansion of their liquor license) {LC2775/1}

06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES

Representative Ginaitt, for the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources reports back the following measures, with recommendation of passage:

House Bill No. 6419 SUB A

BY Brien, Malik, Gablinske, Gallison, Jackson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- PRIZES AND GIFTS (would regulate fishing tournaments in Rhode Island which require fees for entering and which payout cash or monetary value prizes) {LC3065/1/A} 06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Representative Costantino, for the Committee on Finance, reports back the following measures, with recommendation of passage:

House Resolution No. 5070

BY Fox, Costantino, Lewiss

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING A TAIWAN -- U.S. FREE TRADE AGREEMENT (TUFTA) {LC283/1}

06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

House Bill No. 5279

BY Lewiss, Walsh, Kennedy, Shanley, Scott

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES (remove the language "organically produced" from the statute defin ition relating to biodiesel fuel the production of which results in employment in RI at a manufacturing facility) {LC1083/1} 06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

House Bill No. 5371 SUB A

BY Coderre E, Slater, Lima, Naughton, Ajello

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS --

HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE TAXICABS (require taxicab companies to maintain at least 2% but no less than one handicapped accessible taxicabs purchased or leased after January 1, 2008) {LC758/1/A}

06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

House Bill No. 5518

BY Lally, Jackson, O'Neill, Petrarca

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE - FAMILY COURT (delete a reference to classified service of an employee in the judicial branch pursuant to the exemptions in chapter 36-4) {LC1233/1}

06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

House Bill No. 5897

BY Gemma, Schadone, McNamara, Naughton, Flaherty

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO

TAXATION (increase the allowable tax exemption amount for Warwick's residents who are veterans) {LC2191/1}

06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 914

BY Felag

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - HISTORIC RESIDENCE - TAX CREDIT (would allow owners of historic commercial structures in Warren to apply for tax credits even if the owner is depreciating the structure in accordance with federal law) {LC2758/1}

06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 842

BY Fogarty P

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO THE SAND DAM RESERVOIR ASSOCIATION -- TAXATION (grant an unlimited taxation exemption for the Sand Dam Reservoir Association) {LC2494/1}

06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 787 SUB A

BY Connors

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY (technical changes to the public accountancy act) {LC2354/1/A} 06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 576

BY Revens, McCaffrey, Walaska

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO

TAXATION (increase the allowable tax exemption amount for Warwick's residents who are veterans) {LC2190/1}

06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 468

BY McBurney, Jabour, Levesque C

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY COURT (delete a reference to classified service of an employee in the judicial branch pursuant to the exemptions in chapter 36-4) {LC309/1}

06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 82

BY Algiere, Sosnowski, Bates

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES {LC545/1} 06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 50 SUB A

BY Montalbano J, McCaffrey, McBurney, Maselli, Jabour

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS -- COLLECTION OF FINES AND COSTS {LC316/2/A}

06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Resolution No. 31

BY Issa, Walaska, McCaffrey, Paiva-Weed, Bates

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING A TAIWAN -- U.S. FREE TRADE AGREEMENT (TUFTA) {LC284/1}

06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

Representative Lally, for the Committee on Judiciary, reports back the following measure, with recommendation of passage:

House Bill No. 5185

BY Lewiss, Handy, Ajello, Giannini, Coderre E

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE {LC562/1} 06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

House Bill No. 5653

BY Gallison, Pacheco, San Bento, Carter, Ucci

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS - LOCAL CANVASSING

AUTHORITY (prevent employees of local canvassing authorities from serving on local canvassing boards) $\{LC2139/1\}$

06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

House Bill No. 6436

BY Ehrhardt

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (join Gwenn Ann Thompson and Kenneth L. Wilson) {LC3134/1} 06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

House Bill No. 6449

BY Fox

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (join Kara Buntin Jessup and Matthew Della Croce) {LC3204/1} 06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 189

BY Felag, Paiva-Weed, Levesque C

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS - LOCAL CANVASSING AUTHORITY (prevent employees of local canvassing authorities from serving on local canvassing boards) {LC996/1} 06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 764

BY Jabour, Connors, McBurney

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATE PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE -- JUDICIAL REVIEW (outline various procedures regarding maintaining and obtaining the stenographic record of proceedings before the probate court) {LC1980/1} 06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 463 SUB A

BY Perry, Sosnowski, Miller, Tassoni, Alves

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE -- COURTS (permit the district court or the family court, in instances where domestic violence is alleged, to include in any orders provisions for the care, custody and control of any companion animal) {LC1925/2/A}

06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 710 SUB A as amended (Attorney General)

BY Goodwin, Paiva-Weed

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE - DOMESTIC

VIOLENCE PREVENTION ACT (specifically include the offenses of refusal to relinquish or to damage or obstruct a telephone/Burglary and Unlawful entry/Arson/to the list of named offenses in the "RI Domestic Violence Act) {LC1758/1/A}

06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 970

BY Revens

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES {LC2931/1} 06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 794 as amended

BY McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES - COMPUTER CRIME (make it a felony for anyone to intentionally access a computer or related systems and materials without authorization, and for fraudulent or other illegal purposes) {LC2459/1} 06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 1044

BY Tassoni

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (join Kathryn Elizabeth Stevens and Derek Bruse McCowan in marriage) {LC3076/1} 06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 1045

BY Walaska

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (join Marie Johnson and Steve Cote in marriage) {LC3059/1} 06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 1048

BY Gallo, Felag

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES {LC3161/1} 06/12/2007 Placed on House Calendar

NEW BUSINESS

House Bill No. 6511

BY Lima, Gallison, Melo, Wasylyk, Moffitt

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -

CONTRACTORS REGISTRATION (amend various sections of law relative to contractors) {LC3275/1}

06/12/2007 Introduced, referred to House Finance

House Bill No. 6512

BY Almeida

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY -- JOINT COMMITTEE ON NAMING ALL NEW BUILDINGS, BRIDGES, EDIFICES AND OTHER STATE CONSTRUCTIONS (name the newly constructed route 195 bridge spanning the Providence River the John F. Lopez and Michael A. Ledo Bridge) {LC3288/1} 06/12/2007 Introduced, referred to House Constituent Services

House Bill No. 6513

BY Pacheco, Church

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (join David Marchand and Sherri-Lynn Ward in marriage) {LC3282/1} 06/12/2007 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

House Bill No. 6514

BY Sullivan, Moffitt, Williamson, Serpa

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF COVENTRY TO FINANCE THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, DEMOLITION, IMPROVEMENT, ALTERATION, REPAIR, ADDITIONS TO, AND FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING OF, NEW AND EXISTING PUBLIC FACILITIES IN THE TOWN FOR USE AS A GOVERNMENT CENTER FOR TOWN OFFICES, SCHOOLS, A POLICE STATION, A SENIOR CENTER LIBRARY SPACE AND OTHER PUBLIC USES, BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$32,250,000 BONDS AND/OR NOTES THEREFOR {LC3281/1} 06/12/2007 Introduced, referred to House Municipal Government

House Resolution No. 6515

BY Naughton, Crowley, McNamara, Church, McCauley **ENTITLED**, HOUSE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING SEPTEMBER AS LEUKEMIA, LYMPHOMA AND MYELOMA AWARENESS MONTH {LC3124/1}

Representative Crowley requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Crowley seconded by Representatives Slater, Moffitt and Watson by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

House Resolution No. 6516

BY Fox, Watson

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING CONDOLENCES {LC3330/1}

Representative Fox requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Fox seconded by Representative Watson by unanimous consent, on a rising vote.

House Bill No. 6517

BY Giannini, Mattiello

ENTITLED, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF MOSES & ISRAEL, INC. {LC3325/1}

Representative Giannini requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Giannini seconded by Representatives Ucci and Almeida on a roll call vote, 56 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 56: Representatives Ajello, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Jackson, Jacquard, Kilmartin, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Pacheco, Picard, Rice, Rose, Savage, Schadone, Scott, Segal, Serpa, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Williams, Williamson.

NAYS - 0.

House Resolution No. 6518

BY Fox, Watson

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION EXTENDING CONGRATULATIONS {LC3329/1}

Representative Fox requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Fox seconded by Representative Watson by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

House Resolution No. 6519

BY Gallison, Loughlin, Amaral, Rice

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING MEMBERS OF THE 2007 PORTSMOUTH HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATING CLASS {LC3328/1}

Representative Gallison requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Gallison seconded by Representatives Loughlin, Amaral and Rice by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

With the agreement of Majority and the Minority, Representative Jackson requests immediate consideration on (07-H 6520). There is no objection

House Resolution No. 6520

BY Jackson

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION EXTENDING THE REPORTING DATE OF THE SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY THE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE REMEDIATION OF NATURALLY OCCURRING ARSENIC IN SOIL {LC3317/1}

Representative Jackson requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Jackson seconded by Representative Slater by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

RULE 17

The following bills were received pursuant to Rule 17:

Representative Lima-An Act relating to Contractors Legislation

Representative Sullivan -An Act relating to Bonds Coventry

Representative Pacheco-An Act relating to Solemnization

Representative Almeida-An Act relating to Naming Buildings

COMMUNICATION FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Honorable Senate transmits with announcement of passage, of the following measures:

Senate Bill No. 1038

BY Lanzi

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- GAMBLING AND LOTTERIES {LC3053/1}

06/12/2007 Referred to House Constituent Services

Senate Bill No. 131 SUB A

BY Doyle, Tassoni, McBurney, Ruggerio

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- RADON CONTROL (create penalties for unlicensed individuals or entities who perform radon screening, diagnostic sampling, testing or mitigation) {LC402/2/A}

06/12/2007 Referred to House Corporations

Senate Bill No. 783 SUB A as amended (Attorney General)

BY Felag, Bates

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- MOTOR VEHICLE OFFENSES (create a new section in the general laws which specifically criminalizes the "street racing" of motor vehicles) {LC1265/1/A}

06/12/2007 Referred to House Judiciary

Senate Bill No. 892 SUB A as amended

BY Blais, Breene, Algiere, Gibbs

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE - COURTS - JUDICIAL SELECTION {LC2351/1/A}

06/12/2007 Referred to House Judiciary

Senate Bill No. 875 SUB A as amended (Attorney General)

BY Lanzi, Paiva-Weed, Perry, Gallo, Goodwin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - DATING VIOLENCE "LINDSAY ANN BURKE ACT" (require school districts to implement dating violence procedures. It would also require school districts to incorporate age-appropriate dating violence education programs into the health education curriculum) {LC1262/2/A}

06/12/2007 Referred to House H.E.W.

Senate Bill No. 1051 SUB A

BY Fogarty P, Sosnowski, Blais, Breene, Gallo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS -- SANITATION IN FOOD ESTABLISHMENTS {LC3146/2/A}

06/12/2007 Referred to House H.E.W.

Senate Bill No. 990

BY Walaska, Alves, McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS AND DEFENSE --

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT (add the executive director of the commission on the deaf and hard of hearing to the membership of the emergency management advisory council) {LC2989/1} 06/12/2007 Referred to House H.E.W.

Senate Resolution No. 1063

BY Tassoni

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO CREATE INTERNET SAFETY CURRICULA {LC3174/1}

06/12/2007 Referred to House H.E.W.

Senate Bill No. 921

BY Ciccone, Algiere, Levesque C, Ruggerio, Metts

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HOLIDAYS AND DAYS OF SPECIAL

OBSERVANCE (would set aside the month of August annually to be known as "Rhythm & Blues Heritage Month.") {LC2714/1}

06/12/2007 Referred to House Constituent Services

Senate Resolution No. 986

BY Moura, Ruggerio, DaPonte, Tassoni, Gallo

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION URGING THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES TO CREATE A SYSTEM THAT ENSURES THAT TRADE AGREEMENTS ARE DEVELOPED AND IMPLEMENTED USING A DEMOCRATIC, INCLUSIVE MECHANISM THAT ENSHRINES THE PRINCIPLES OF FEDERALISM AND STATE SOVEREIGNTY {LC2796/1}

06/12/2007 Referred to House Finance

Senate Bill No. 516 SUB A

BY Breene

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - MOTOR VEHICLE BODY REPLACEMENT PARTS (require insurers and auto body repair shops to provide written notice to a vehicle owner that he/she is entitled to original equipment manufacturer parts (OEM parts) in the repair of a motor vehicle body replacement parts) {LC2018/1/A}

06/12/2007 Referred to House Corporations

Senate Bill No. 1043

BY Fogarty P, Gallo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION (grant authority to the Burrillville town council to grant tax credits for the maintenance and rehabilitation of historical structures) {LC3070/1}

06/12/2007 Referred to House Municipal Government

CALENDAR

From the Calendar are taken:

IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 12, 2007:

1 2007-H 5521

BY Lally

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE - COURTS - STATE COURT ADMINISTRATION

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Read, and by unanimous consent, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Wednesday, June 20, 2007.

2 2007-H 6057 SUB A

BY Costantino

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PERSONAL INCOME TAX

Committee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

Read, and by unanimous consent, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Wednesday, June 20, 2007.

3 <u>2007-H 6439 SUB A</u>

BY Costantino

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC FINANCE -- STATE BUDGET

Committee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

Representative Costantino moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Carter.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 57members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 57: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Brien, Carter, Church, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Loughlin, Malik, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Watson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

REQUESTS

Representatives Serpa, Williams and Mattiello request the journal to reflect that if they had voted on (07-H 6439 SUB A), they would have voted in the affirmative.

4 2007-H 6054

BY Costantino

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- SMALL EMPLOYER HEALTH INSURANCE

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Read, and by unanimous consent, ordered to be placed on the Calendar as item #12A.

5 2007-H 5579 SUB A

BY Segal

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- RHODE ISLAND ENERGY RESOURCES ACT

Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

Representative Ginaitt moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Fox.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 60 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 60: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Corvese, Costantino, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Watson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

REQUEST

Representative Long requests the journal to reflect that if he had voted on (07-H 5579 SUB A), he would have voted in the affirmative.

6 2007-H 6396 SUB A

BY Ginaitt

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - MERCURY REDUCTION AND EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

Representative Ginaitt moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Kilmartin.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 63 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 63: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Watson, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

REQUESTS

Representatives Kennedy and Long request the journal to reflect that if they had voted on (07-H 6396 SUB A), they would have voted in the affirmative.

7 2007-H 5132 SUB A

BY Lewiss

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- TOWN OF WESTERLY

Committee on Municipal Government recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

Representative Lewiss moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Shanley and Lally.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 59 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 59: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Corvese, Costantino, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Petrarca, Picard, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Watson, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

8 2007-H 5285

BY Ucci

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - ELIGIBILITY FOR ATTENDANCE

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends passage.

Representative McNamara moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Ucci.

Read and passed on a roll call vote, 56 members voting in the affirmative and 2 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 56: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lewiss, Lima, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Petrarca, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 2: Representatives Lally, Picard.

REQUESTS

Representative Gemma requests the journal to reflect that if he had voted on (07-H 5285), he would have voted in the affirmative.

Representative Watson requests the journal to reflect that if he had voted on (07-H 5285), he would have voted in the negative.

9 <u>2007-H 5352</u>

BY Williams

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PUPILS

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends passage.

Representative McNamara moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Williams, Ajello, Almeida, Silva and many other members of the House.

Representatives Menard, McNamara, Gorham, Savage and Fox discuss the act.

Representative Menard questions whether (07-H 5352) is properly on the Calendar given the provisions of Rule 13.

The Honorable Speaker rules that, so long as the bill was still in the possession of the Committee at the time of reconsideration, its reconsideration in Committee was proper (see Rule 13(f).

Read and passed on a roll call vote, 56 members voting in the affirmative and 4 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 56: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Handy, Jackson, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lewiss, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 4: Representatives Gorham, Menard, Serpa, Watson.

REQUESTS

Representative Ucci requests the journal to reflect that if he had voted on (07-H 5352), he would have voted in the affirmative.

Representative Amaral requests the journal to reflect that if he had voted on (07-H 5352), he would have voted in the negative.

10 2007-H 6218

BY Winfield

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SPORTS, RACING AND ATHLETICS - BOXING AND WRESTLING

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends passage.

Representative McNamara moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Malik.

By unanimous consent, Representative McNamara, seconded by Representatives Malik and Winfield offers a written motion to amend.

FLOOR AMENDMENT TO 2007 -- H 6218

AN ACT RELATING TO SPORTS, RACING AND ATHLETICS - BOXING AND WRESTLING

Mr. Speaker:

I hereby move to amend 2007 -- H 6218, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO SPORTS, RACING AND ATHLETICS - BOXING AND WRESTLING", as follows:

(1) On page 2, line 30, by inserting the language "at the discretion of the division of racing and athletes", after the word "knockout".

Respectfully submitted,

REPRESENTATIVE MCNAMARA

LC01156/2

The motion to amend prevails on a roll call vote 64 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 64: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Scott, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Watson, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

Representatives Gorham, McNamara and Caprio discuss the act as amended.

Read and passed, as amended, on a roll call vote, 67 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 67: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Scott, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Watson, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

STATE OF RHODE ISLANDAND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

STATEMENT OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST PURSUANT TO RIGL 36-14-6

- I, Roger Picard, State Representative, District 51, hereby under oath depose and say:
- 1. (Matter requiring action) I expect to be called upon, in my capacity as State Representative, to participate in the consideration of, and to vote upon: (07-H6440)
- 2. (Nature of the potential conflict) I have the following interest in the matter:

Family members work for the organization.

- 3. (Complete and (A.) or (B.) and cross out whichever does not apply
- B. In compliance with Section 36-14-6(1) & (2)A of the General laws, I hereby request the Speaker of the House of Representatives to excuse me from voting on or participating in the consideration of the matter described in paragraph 1 above.

ROGER PICARD REPRESENTATIVE

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND COUNTY OF PROVIDENCE

Subscribed and sworn to under the penalties for perjury before me this 12th day of June, 2007.

DAVID W. DUMAS NOTARY PUBLIC

Representative Picard is excused from voting on or participating in the consideration of the matter described in paragraph 1, above.

WILLIAM J. MURPHY SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVE

11 <u>2007-H 6440</u> BY Winfield

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- COOPERATIVE SERVICE AMONG SCHOOL DISTRICTS

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends passage.

Representative McNamara moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Coderre, Corvese, Church, Winfield, Pacheco and Brien.

Read and passed on a roll call vote, 63 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 63: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Petrarca, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

12 <u>2007-H 6506</u>

BY Caprio D

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY -- RENAMING A SECTION OF ROUTE 108 IN SOUTH KINGSTOWN

Ordered on the Calendar

Representative Caprio moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Lally, Shanley, Almeida, Carter, Gallison and Kilmartin.

Read and passed on a roll call vote, 63 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 63: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Costantino, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

REQUEST

Representative Corvese requests the journal to reflect that if he had voted on (07-H 6506), he would have voted in the affirmative.

12A <u>2007-H 6054</u>

BY Costantino

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- SMALL EMPLOYER HEALTH INSURANCE

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Representative Costantino moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Carter.

By unanimous consent, Representative Costantino, seconded by Representatives Fox and Carter offers a written motion to amend.

FLOOR AMENDMENT TO 2007 -- H 6054

AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- SMALL EMPLOYER HEALTH INSURANCE

Mr. Speaker:

- I hereby move to amend 2007 -- H 6054, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- SMALL EMPLOYER HEALTH INSURANCE", as follows:
- (1) On page 11, lines 3 through 6, by deleting all of the language beginning with the word "Any" and ending with the language "plans."
 - (2) On page 11, line 25, by deleting the word "maximum"; and the words "out of pocket."
- (3) On page 11, line 25, by deleting the word "be" and inserting in place thereof the words "not exceed".

REPRESENTATIVE COSTANTINO

Respectfully submitted,

LC02321/3

The motion to amend prevails on a roll call vote 60 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 60: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, DeSimone, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Scott, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

Read and passed, as amended, on a roll call vote, 62 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 62: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Long, Loughlin, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Scott, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

TRANSMITTAL

By unanimous consent, all House matters on the Clerk's desk are ordered to be transmitted to the Honorable Senate, forthwith.

13 2007-S 103

BY Walaska

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- INSURANCE INSOLVENCY FUND

Committee on Corporations recommends passage in concurrence.

Read, and by unanimous consent, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, June 19, 2007.

14 2007-S 386 SUB A

BY Blais

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - INSURANCE PRODUCERS - PRODUCER LICENSING ACT

Committee on Corporations recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A in concurrence.

Representative Kennedy moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Gemma.

Representative Menard requests to vote the act in sections. The Honorable Speaker Murphy rules it is divisible.

Section 2, page 3 lines 11-22 prevails on a roll call vote, 57 members voting in the affirmative and 3 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 57: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Long, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Story, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 3: Representatives Caprio, Flaherty, Menard.

The remainder of the bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, in concurrence and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 65 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 65: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Giannini, Ginaitt, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, Savage, Schadone, Scott, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

15 <u>2007-S 87</u>

BY Perry

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC FINANCE -- STATE INVESTMENT COMMISSION -- INVESTMENTS IN SUDAN

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

Representative Almeida moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Savage, Moffitt, Caprio, Slater and Williams.

Read and passed, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 64 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 64: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Giannini, Ginaitt, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

16 <u>2007-S 161</u>

BY Ciccone

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - EMPLOYMENT SECURITY - BENEFITS

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

Representative Slater moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Malik and almost the entire House of Representatives.

Read and passed, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 66 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 66: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

17 2007-S 206 SUB A

BY Perry

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- OPEN MEETINGS

Committee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

Representative Costantino moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Handy, Ajello and many other members of the House.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 65 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 65: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

18 2007-S 405 SUB A

BY McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO JUDICIAL PENSIONS

Committee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

Representative Costantino moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Lally and Gemma.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 65 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 65: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

19 <u>2007-S 438</u>

BY McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS AND DEFENSE - EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

Representative Costantino moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Lally and Gemma.

Read and passed in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 66 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 66: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Petrarca, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Scott, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

20 2007-S 520

BY Sosnowski

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY THE TAXATION OF FARM, FOREST, AND OPEN SPACE LAND

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

Read, and by unanimous consent, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, June 19, 2007.

21 2007-S 648 SUB A as amended

BY Levesque C

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- RHODE ISLAND COORDINATED HEALTH PLANNING ACT OF 2006

Committee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A as amended in concurrence.

Representative Coderre moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Kilmartin.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, as amended, in concurrence and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 68 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 68: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Petrarca, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Scott, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Watson, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

22 <u>2007-S 242</u>

BY Blais

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO WATERS AND NAVIGATION -- WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends passage in concurrence.

Representative Ginaitt moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Jackson.

Read and passed, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 67 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 67: Representatives Ajello, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Scott, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Watson, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

23 2007-S 332

BY Blais

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- HAZARDOUS WASTE MANAGEMENT

Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends passage in concurrence.

Representative Ginaitt moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Rice and Amaral.

Read and passed, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 67 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 67: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Scott, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Watson, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

REQUEST

Representative Ucci requests the journal to reflect that if he had voted on (07-S 332 in concurrence), he would have voted in the affirmative.

24 2007-S 397 SUB B

BY Breene

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY REMEDIATION AND REUSE

Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and the Substitute A and passage of Substitute B.

Representative Fox moves to commit to the Committee on Finance. There is no objection.

Read and committed to the Committee on Finance.

25 2007-S 231 SUB A as amended

BY Miller

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- RHODE ISLAND ENERGY RESOURCES ACT

Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A as amended in concurrence.

Representative Ginaitt moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Handy, Kilmartin and many other members of the House.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, as amended, in concurrence and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 64 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 64: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, Savage, Schadone, Scott, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Watson, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

26 2007-S 227 as amended

BY Blais

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SPORTS, RACING, AND ATHLETICS - BOXING AND WRESTLING

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends passage as amended in concurrence.

Representative McNamara moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Representative Winfield.

The voting machine malfunctioned.

Ordered to be held on the desk for vote tomorrow.

27 2007-S 360

BY Gibbs

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION AMENDING THE JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A PERMANENT LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION ON CHILD CARE IN RHODE ISLAND

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends passage in concurrence.

Read, and by unanimous consent, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, June 19, 2007.

28 <u>2007-S 394</u>

BY Issa

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PUPILS

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends passage in concurrence.

Representative McNamara moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Williams, Gemma and Ajello.

Read and passed, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 59 members voting in the affirmative and 6 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 59: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Scott, Segal, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 6: Representatives Amaral, Gorham, Long, Menard, Serpa, Watson.

29 <u>2007-S 442 SUB A</u>

BY Gibbs

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - ELDERLY AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A in concurrence.

Representative McNamara moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Ginaitt.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, in concurrence and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 67 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 67: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Scott, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Watson, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

STATE OF RHODE ISLANDAND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

STATEMENT OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST PURSUANT TO RIGL 36-14-6

- I, Arthur T. Corvese State Representative, District 55, hereby under oath depose and say:
- 1. (Matter requiring action) I expect to be called upon, in my capacity as State Representative, to participate in the consideration of, and to vote upon: (07-S 636 SUB A as amended)
- 2. (Nature of the potential conflict) I have the following interest in the matter: I am an optometrist.
- 3. (Complete and (A.) or (B.) and cross out whichever does not apply
- B. In compliance with Section 36-14-6(1) & (2)A of the General laws, I hereby request the Speaker of the House of Representatives to excuse me from voting on or participating in the consideration of the matter described in paragraph 1 above.

ARTHUR T. CORVESE REPRESENTATIVE

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND COUNTY OF PROVIDENCE

Subscribed and sworn to under the penalties for perjury before me this 12th day of June, 2007.

DAVID W. DUMAS NOTARY PUBLIC Representative Corvese is excused from voting on or participating in the consideration of the matter described in paragraph 1, above.

WILLIAM J. MURPHY SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

30 2007-S 636 SUB A as amended

BY McBurney

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS - OPTOMETRISTS

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A as amended in concurrence.

Representative McNamara moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Representative San Bento.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, as amended, in concurrence and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 65 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 65: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Costantino, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Scott, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

FROM THE DESK IS TAKEN

Representative Lally moves to take (07-S 335 in concurrence) from the desk, seconded by Representative Watson. The motion prevails on a roll call vote 61 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 61: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Corvese, Costantino, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Petrarca, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Scott, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Watson, Williams, Winfield.

Senate Bill No. 335

BY Revens

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- MOTOR VEHICLES REPARATIONS ACT (require law enforcement agencies who issue tickets for lack of evidence of financial responsibility to withhold traffic citation to the traffic tribunal for one business day to allow the motorist opportunity to submit evidence of financial responsibility {LC173/1}

By unanimous consent, Representative Lally, seconded by Representative Watson offers a written motion to amend.

FLOOR AMENDMENT TO 2007 -- S 335

AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- MOTOR VEHICLES REPARATIONS ACT

Mr. Speaker:

I hereby move to amend 2007 -- S 335, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- MOTOR VEHICLES REPARATIONS ACT", as follows:

On page 2, line 25 after the word "responsibility" and before the word "shall" by inserting the following language "that existed at the time of the violation".

Respectfully submitted,

REPRESENTATIVE LALLY

LC00173/2

LC0017572

Representatives Watson, Gemma, Ucci, Fox and Lally discuss the amendment.

The motion to amend prevails on a roll call vote 66 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 66: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Scott, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Watson, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

Representatives Lally and Gorham discuss the act, as amended.

Read and passed, as amended, on a roll call vote, 64 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 64: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Scott, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Watson, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

TRANSMITTAL

By unanimous consent, all matters on the clerk's desk are ordered to be transmitted to the Honorable Secretary of State, the Honorable Senate and certain bills to His Excellency, the Governor, forthwith.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Gallison announces that the Committee on Municipal Government will meet at 6:30 o'clock P.M. at Mount Hope High School-199 Chestnut Street, Bristol.

Representative Lally announces that the Committee on Judiciary will meet at the rise of the House, in Room 205 of the State House.

Representative Kennedy announces that the Committee on Corporations will meet at the rise of the House, in Room 203 of the State House and their will be no meeting on Thursday, June 14, 2007.

The Honorable Speaker Murphy congratulates Representative Naughton on being a new grandmother, today.

Representative Costantino announces there will be a budget briefing at the rise of the House, in the House Lounge.

Representative Corvese congratulates Jim Black, a House Page, on graduating from Bishop Hendricken and announces that Jim will be attending Dean College in the fall.

Majority Leader Fox announces the budget briefing will be at the rise in the House Lounge and at 5 o'clock P.M tomorrow will be the deadline for all amendments. Leader Fox also announces session will begin at 2 o'clock P.M. on Friday to hear the budget.

GUESTS

At 4:18 o'clock P.M. the Honorable Speaker yields the rostrum to Representative Singleton.

By unanimous consent, Representative Singleton addresses the members of the House and welcomes to the House Stephanie Lariviere, who will sing the National Anthem.

By unanimous consent, Stephanie Lariviere sings the National Anthem.

By unanimous consent, Representative Singleton introduces Stephanie's mother Donna Lariviere.

At 4:20 o'clock P.M. the Honorable Speaker returns to the rostrum.

At 4:22 o'clock P.M. the Honorable Speaker yields the rostrum to Representative Williamson.

By unanimous consent, Representative Williamson addresses the members of the House and welcomes to the House Christ the Redeener Academy for winning the State Diocesan Middle School Volleyball Championship for two consecutive years.

By unanimous consent, Representative Williamson presents citations to the following: Principal-Dr. Frank Pallotta; Coaches-Jenn Karboski, Laura DiTommaso, Donna Oates, Caitlin Larocque; Players-Stephen Smith-Captain, Billie Burke-Captain, CJ Allen, Pierce Aguiar, Ian Callaghan, Brittany Medeiros, Jordana Holmes, Geoffrey Bean, Adam Petrarca, Brandon McCarron, Macayla Bisignani, Crystal Peralta.

At 4:24 o'clock P.M. the Honorable Speaker returns to the rostrum.

Representative Corvese welcomes Dr. Frank Pallotta, former Chairman of the North Providence School Committee to the House Chamber.

ADJOURNMENT

At 5:20 o'clock P.M. on motion of Representative Rose and the entire East Providence Delegation, and as a further mark of respect to the memory of Shirley Miranda; seconded by Representatives Fox and Watson the House adjourns, on a unanimous rising vote.

Linda M. McElroy Recording Clerk

APPENDIX

INVOCATION

REPRESENTATIVE TIMOTHY A. WILLIAMSON

Heavenly Father, look with favor on our deliberation and assist us by your grace to do what is just and wise. Amen.

APPENDIX

TRANSMITTED TO THE GOVERNOR

Senate Bill No. 121

BY McBurney

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- PARTY COMMITTEES AND CONVENTIONS (require the resignation of a removed resident from serving on a ward committee) {LC626/1}

Senate Bill No. 181

BY Issa, McBurney, DaPonte, Doyle

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO THE PAWTUCKET WATER SUPPLY BOARD {LC1043/1}

Senate Bill No. 258

BY Tassoni, Walaska, Blais

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- LOW AND MODERATE INCOME HOUSING (extend the expiration date of the Housing Act of 2004 Implementation Oversight Commission to March 31, 2009) {LC1336/1}

Senate Bill No. 302

BY Walaska

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- INSURANCE (require when an insurance carrier cancels or terminates a certified policy, notice of cancellation or termination of the insurance so certified would be filed with the division of motor vehicles) {LC1599/1}

Senate Bill No. 308

BY Felag, Tassoni, Badeau, Lanzi, Gallo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES --

REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES (permit the registrar of motor vehicles to issue veterans' plates to eligible motorcycles) {LC1629/1}

Senate Bill No. 366 (Attorney General)

BY Alves

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW -- GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS -- PURCHASE AND SALE OF PRECIOUS METALS (second hand dealers buying or receiving, for the purpose of selling, gold, precious stones and precious metals to first obtain a license/holding period for precious metals would be increased from 7 to 14 days) {LC1607/1}

Senate Bill No. 371

BY Pichardo, Walaska, Bates

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO RHODE ISLAND HOME LOAN PROTECTION ACT (limit a borrowers recovery against a purchaser of assignee of a high cost home loan to the amount necessary to extinguish the borrowers liability under the loan plus cost, including reasonable attorneys' fees) {LC2077/1}

Senate Bill No. 384 SUB A

BY Miller, Pichardo, Levesque C, Sosnowski

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS (amend the Comprehensive Energy Conservation, Efficiency and Affordability Act with respect to customers eligible for the federal Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program) {LC1543/1/A}

Senate Bill No. 446 SUB A as amended

BY Walaska, McCaffrey, Alves

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS --

PHARMACIES (amend the definition of the practice of pharmacy to include the administration of prescribed injectable medications) {LC1907/1/A}

Senate Bill No. 465

BY McCaffrey, McBurney, Jabour, Levesque C, Paiva-Weed

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LAW PRACTICE (exempt the unauthorized practice of law committee from the requirements of the Administrative Procedures Act but would mandate that its rules and regulations be filed with the secretary of state) {LC315/1}

Senate Bill No. 497

BY McBurney

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HOLIDAYS AND DAYS OF SPECIAL OBSERVANCE -- WORK ON HOLIDAYS AND SUNDAYS (exempt employees of a 24 hour per day limousine or taxi company from a salary increase for working Sunday and Holidays) {LC1424/1}

Senate Bill No. 640 SUB A

BY Goodwin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS - NURSES (create the Nurse Licensure Compact wherein every nurse practicing in a party state must comply with the state practice laws in which the patient is located at the time care is rendered) {LC1898/1/A}

Senate Bill No. 724 (Secretary of State)

BY Pichardo, Goodwin, Gallo, Paiva-Weed

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- DEPARTMENT OF STATE (repeal the state central registration registry) {LC2276/1}

Senate Bill No. 799 as amended (Secretary of State)

BY Ruggerio, DaPonte, Moura

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS {LC2083/1}

Senate Bill No. 845 (Attorney General)

BY Maselli, Jabour, Raptakis

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- ADJUDICATION OF TRAFFIC OFFENSES (would amend the current statute conferring exclusive original jurisdiction for first offenses) {LC1250/1}

Senate Bill No. 927

BY Paiva-Weed

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Ruth Durchslag to join Emily Stone and Jonathan Gelb in marriage) {LC2856/1}

Senate Bill No. 952 as amended

BY Alves

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF JOHNSTON TO IMPOSE A SUPPLEMENTAL TAX FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2006-2007 {LC2934/1}

Senate Bill No. 971 as amended

BY McCaffrey, Maselli, Ciccone, Gallo, Ruggerio

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- WEAPONS (exempt the Rhode Island state fire marshal, deputy state fire marshals, deputy state fire marshals assigned to the bomb squad, and those assigned to the investigation unit from weapon restrictions) {LC2735/1}

Senate Bill No. 978

BY Blais

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES {LC2995/1}

Senate Bill No. 1034

BY Lenihan

ENTITLED, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF THE INDIAN RIVER COMPANY {LC3126/1}

APPENDIX

CALENDAR

IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13, 2007:

1 <u>2007-H 6453</u>

BY Church

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF NORTH SMITHFIELD TO BORROW UP TO \$21,000,000 FOR THE PURPOSE OF FINANCING THE CONSTRUCTION AND EXTENSION OF SEWERS AND SEWER LINES AND THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION AND INSTALLATION OF PUMPING STATIONS AND RELATED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT WITHIN THE TOWN THROUGH THE ISSUANCE OF ITS GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS OR NOTES INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO ANY BONDS OR NOTES ISSUED PURSUANT TO FINANCING AGREEMENTS WITH THE RHODE ISLAND CLEAN WATER FINANCE AGENCY

Committee on Municipal Government recommends passage.

2 2007-H 6454

BY Church

ENTITLED. AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF NORTH SMITHFIELD TO FINANCE THE ACQUISITION OF LAND AND/OR INTERESTS IN LAND FOR A NEW MUNICIPAL PUBLIC LIBRARY AND LIBRARY FACILITIES AND THE RECONSTRUCTION AND REHABILITATIONOF EXISTING BUILDINGS AND CONSTRUCTION OF NEW BUILDINGS OR NEW ADDITIONS TO EXISTING BUILDINGS FOR, AND THE EQUIPPING OF, A NEW MUNICIPAL PUBLIC LIBRARY AND LIBRARY FACILITIES IN THE TOWN BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$12,000,000 BONDS AND/OR NOTES THEREFOR

Committee on Municipal Government recommends passage.

3 2007-H 5062

BY Kilmartin

ENTITLED. AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

4 <u>2007-H 5455 SUB A</u>

BY Shanley

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- THE UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND RESEARCH FOUNDATION

Committee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

5 <u>2007-H 5122</u>

BY Ucci

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE STATE TRAFFIC COMMISSION TO INSTALL A TRAFFIC LIGHT IN THE TOWN OF JOHNSTON

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage.

6 <u>2007-H 5123</u>

BY Ucci

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE STATE TRAFFIC COMMISSION TO INSTALL A TRAFFIC LIGHT IN THE TOWN OF JOHNSTON

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage.

7 <u>2007-H 5150</u>

BY Fellela

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE STATE TRAFFIC COMMISSION TO INSTALL A TRAFFIC CONTROL SIGNAL IN THE TOWN OF JOHNSTON

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage.

8 2007-H 6260

BY Shanley

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY - - RENAMING THE NORTH WOODS RESIDENCE B

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage.

9 <u>2007-H 6261</u>

BY Shanley

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY -- RENAMING THE WEST SIDE SUITES

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage.

10 2007-H 6262

BY Shanley

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY - - RENAMING THE NORTH WOODS RESIDENCE A

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage.

11 <u>2007-H 6</u>418

BY Lally

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY -- PERMANENT JOINT COMMITTEE ON NAMING ALL NEW BUILDINGS, BRIDGES, EDIFICES AND OTHER STATE CONSTRUCTIONS

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage.

12 <u>2007-S 923</u>

BY Paiva-Weed

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends passage in concurrence.

13 2007-S 301 SUB B

BY Walaska

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY

Committee on Corporations recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and the Substitute A and passage of Substitute B.

14 2007-S 299 SUB A

BY Bates

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - RHODE ISLAND INSURERS' INSOLVENCY FUND

Committee on Corporations recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

15 2007-S 513

BY Ruggerio

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS -- LABOR AND PAYMENT OF DEBTS BY CONTRACTORS

Committee on Labor recommends passage in concurrence.

16 2007-S 495 SUB A

BY Badeau

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - BOILER INSPECTION AND PRESSURE VESSELS

Committee on Labor recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

17 <u>2007-S 349 SUB A</u>

BY Moura

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES

Committee on Labor recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A in concurrence.

18 2007-S 260 as amended

BY Levesque C

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF PORTSMOUTH TO ISSUE GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND/OR NOTES IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$3,000,000 TO FINANCE THE ACQUISITION AND INSTALLATION OF A WIND TURBINE AT PORTSMOUTH HIGH SCHOOL AND/OR A WIND TURBINE AT PORTSMOUTH MIDDLE SCHOOL

Committee on Municipal Government recommends passage as amended in concurrence.

19 <u>2007-S 967</u>

BY Issa

ENTITLED, AN ACT VALIDATING AND RATIFYING AMENDMENTS TO THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF CENTRAL FALLS

Committee on Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

20 <u>2007-S 1002</u>

BY Sosnowski

ENTITLED, AN ACT PERMITTING THE TOWN OF SOUTH KINGSTOWN TO CREATE A SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT AND AWARD AN EXCLUSIVE SERVICES CONTRACT FOR RESIDENTIAL SOLID WASTE/RECYCLING COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL SERVICES

Committee on Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

21 <u>2007-S 155 SUB A</u>

BY Metts

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY RENAMING THE RHODE ISLAND JUVENILE DETENTION CENTER

Committee on Constituent Services recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A in concurrence.

22 <u>2007-S 241 SUB A as amended</u>

BY Blais

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO WATERS AND NAVIGATION - REGULATION OF BOATS

Committee on Constituent Services recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A as amended in concurrence.

23 <u>2007-S 898</u>

BY Sheehan

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY - - RENAMING THE NORTH WOODS RESIDENCE A

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage in concurrence.

24 2007-S 920

BY Montalbano J

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY - - RENAMING THE NORTH WOODS RESIDENCE B

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage in concurrence.

25 2007-S 922

BY Sosnowski

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY -- RENAMING THE WEST SIDE SUITES

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage in concurrence.

26 2007-S 956

BY Tassoni

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING NOVEMBER 26 THROUGH NOVEMBER 30, 2007 AS "ADVANCE CARE PLANNING AWARENESS WEEK" IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage in concurrence.

IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 14, 2007:

1 <u>2007-H 5070</u>

BY Fox

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING A TAIWAN -- U.S. FREE TRADE AGREEMENT (TUFTA)

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

2 2007-H 5279

BY Lewiss

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

3 <u>2007-H 5371 SUB A</u>

BY Coderre E

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS -- HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE TAXICABS

Committee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

4 2007-H 5518

BY Lally

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE - FAMILY COURT

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

5 <u>2007-H 5897</u>

BY Gemma

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

6 2007-H 6419 SUB A

BY Brien

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- PRIZES AND GIFTS

Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

7 <u>2007-S 914</u>

BY Felag

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - HISTORIC RESIDENCE - TAX CREDIT

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

8 2007-S 842

BY Fogarty P

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO THE SAND DAM RESERVOIR ASSOCIATION -- TAXATION

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

9 2007-S 787 SUB A

BY Connors

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY

Committee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A in concurrence.

10 2007-S 576

BY Revens

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

11 2007-S 468

BY McBurney

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY COURT

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

12 <u>2007-S 82</u>

BY Algiere

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

13 <u>2007-S 50 SUB A</u>

BY Montalbano J

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS -- COLLECTION OF FINES AND COSTS

Committee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

14 <u>2007-S 31</u>

BY Issa

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING A TAIWAN -- U.S. FREE TRADE AGREEMENT (TUFTA)

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

15 2007-S 305

BY Algiere

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS AND DEFENSE -- DECORATIONS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs recommends passage in concurrence.

16 2007-S 776

BY Doyle

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- VOTING DISTRICTS AND OFFICIALS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

17 2007-S 228

BY Blais

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE

Committee on Corporations recommends passage in concurrence.

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS IN ORDER FOR FRIDAY, JUNE 15, 2007

1 2007-H 5300 SUB A

BY Watson

ENTITLED, AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2008

Committee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 19, 2007:

1 <u>2007-H 5767</u>

BY Lewiss

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY -- CRUELTY TO ANIMALS

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends passage.

2 2007-H 5185

BY Lewiss

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

3 2007-H 5653

BY Gallison

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS - LOCAL CANVASSING AUTHORITY

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

4 2007-H 6436

BY Ehrhardt

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

5 <u>2007-H 6449</u>

BY Fox

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

6 2007-H 5105

BY Ucci

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW -- GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS -- UNFAIR SALES PRACTICES

Committee on Corporations recommends passage.

7 <u>2007-H 6204 SUB A</u>

BY Carter

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - HEAVY DUTY DIESEL VEHICLE EMISSION INSPECTIONS

Committee on Corporations recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

8 <u>2007-S 103</u>

BY Walaska

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- INSURANCE INSOLVENCY FUND

Committee on Corporations recommends passage in concurrence.

9 <u>2007-S 360</u>

BY Gibbs

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION AMENDING THE JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A PERMANENT LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION ON CHILD CARE IN RHODE ISLAND

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends passage in concurrence.

10 2007-S 520

BY Sosnowski

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY THE TAXATION OF FARM, FOREST, AND OPEN SPACE LAND

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

11 <u>2007-S 189</u>

BY Felag

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS - LOCAL CANVASSING AUTHORITY

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

12 2007-S 764

BY Jabour

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATE PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE -- JUDICIAL REVIEW

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

13 <u>2007-S 463 SUB A</u>

BY Perry

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE -- COURTS

Committee on Judiciary recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A in concurrence.

14 2007-S 710 SUB A as amended

BY Goodwin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE - DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PREVENTION ACT

Committee on Judiciary recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A as amended in concurrence.

15 2007-S 970

BY Revens

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

16 2007-S 794 as amended

BY McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES - COMPUTER CRIME

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage as amended in concurrence.

17 2007-S 1044

BY Tassoni

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

18 <u>2007-S 1045</u>

BY Walaska

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

19 2007-S 1048

BY Gallo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

20 2007-S 236 SUB B

BY Dovle

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - WARRANTIES

Committee on Corporations recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and the Substitute A and passage of Substitute B.

21 2007-S 906 SUB A

BY Algiere

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - HEAVY DUTY DIESEL VEHICLE EMISSION INSPECTIONS

Committee on Corporations recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A in concurrence.

22 2007-S 1040

BY Fogarty P

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO THE GLENDALE ASSOCIATION, INC.

Committee on Corporations recommends passage in concurrence.

23 <u>2007-S 1057</u>

BY Cote

ENTITLED, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF KATHMANDU, LTD.

Committee on Corporations recommends passage in concurrence.

24 2007-S 919

BY Jabour

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- NOTICE AND HEARING ON LICENSES

Committee on Corporations recommends passage in concurrence.

IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 20, 2007:

1 <u>2007-H 5521</u>

BY Lally

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE - COURTS - STATE COURT ADMINISTRATION

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

2 2007-H 6057 SUB A

BY Costantino

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PERSONAL INCOME TAX

Committee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

Francis P. McCabe
Clerk of the House

Tuesday, June 12, 2007